

HAS ONLY ONE STARTER UNIT, WHICH IS IN RATHER POOR CONDITION. DURING THE FERRY OPERATION OF 358 THIS UNIT WAS USED, HOWEVER IN FUTURE FEEL IT WOULD BE ADVANTAGEOUS TO CARRY ONE OF OUR PORTABLE STARTER PODS ALONG WITH SUPPORT EQUIP. IN ORDER TO DO THIS IT IS NECESSARY TO UTILIZE A C-118 WITH A WIDE CARGO DOOR. PREVIOUS C-118'S USED (EXCEPT FOR RESTORE) HAVE ALWAYS HAD WIDE CARGO DOORS.

REQ A REQUIREMENT BE LEVIED FOR C-118 WITH WIDE DOORS TO SUPPORT FERRY OPN ON ARTICLE 378 AND SUBSEQUENT OPNS.

END OF MESSAGE